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RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.111

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

This paper is in response to the Office Communication mailed 04/05/2006. A one-month extension of time for filing this response is hereby requested. Authorization for payment of the required fee for the extension of time is provided in the concurrently filed Fee Transmittal Form PTO/SB/17.

IN THE CLAIMS

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